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Sir:

Please file the attached Amendment E Transmittal and Amendment E for the above referenced application.

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**AMENDMENT E TRANSMITTAL**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Total Claims	18	MINUS	38	0	x 25 =	x 50 = \$-0-
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- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension(s) of time to respond to the  
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- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is  
determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension  
be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time  
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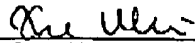
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Susan W. Xu**AMENDMENT E**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendments is filed in response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2005 and the applicants request entry of the following amendments and remarks and also request reconsideration of the application based on the discussions below:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.